

To The Honorable Judge Joseph F. Bianco

I Frances Valerio, Joseph's mom, am writing you from my heart. I am widowed now for over six years, my son would come over and stay with me once a week, and take care of everything for me, now I am lost my daughter is legally blind and cannot help me, her husband has to help her & her mom. My son Joseph grew up in a family of fighting violence, my son & daughter & myself were sexually abused by my husband which

I witnessed I was afraid to stay and afraid to leave because my husband said he would kill me.

Your Honor my son has learned his lesson in almost $3\frac{1}{2}$ years of being in prison I am asking you for compassion and leniency for Joseph

Your Honor if you please can make a
recommendation for Devous, Massa,
so that my son will be with people
of the same crime, and I do not have to
worry about someone taking his life
My prayer Judge Bianco, is to go to
Lourdes with my son & daughter,

I Thank You
I remain Sincerely
Frances Valerio